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Meat Market Told To Clean Up

"The Marin City Meat Market leaves both fresh and cured meat exposed in warm places under unclean conditions, which is in direct violation of the state law," yesterday declared Elden Waller, inspector for the California Department of Health.

This charge against the local meat market followed an inspection of their premises which was made immediately after a Marin City housewife filed a complaint at the Marin County Department of Health. The housewife declared that contaminated meat had been sold to her at the market.

Waller stated that during his inspection there, the first which has been made at this market, he saw large quantities of hams and bacon placed in a back room with the door open and flies crawling on the food. Fresh meat was exposed on the chopping block with flies swarming over it. According to the law, there should be no meat exposed. All meat should be kept under refrigeration the minute it arrives at the store.

A letter, which is a "cease and desist" order, has been sent to the manager of the meat department, said Waller. Another inspection will then be made in three days. If he has not cleaned up by then, the matter goes to the district attorney who has enforced the law in two county markets during the last month, with threatened warrants of arrest against merchants.

The law which is being invoked is from the Food Sanitation Act of the State of California, Sections 1 and 2, which read in part: "Unsanitary conditions shall be deemed to exist if food in the process of manufacture, preparation, packing, storing, sale, or distribution is not securely protected from flies, dust, dirt, unsanitary conditions. . ."

NAHO Meet Next Week At Center

More than 250 Housing Authority officials from California, Arizona and Nevada are expected in Marin City next week for the National Association of Housing Officials conference scheduled on the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th.

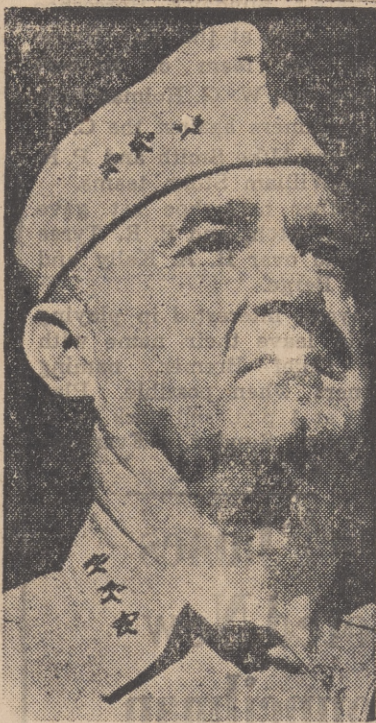
Morning sessions, open to the public, will be held each day of the conference in the Auditorium, starting at 9:30 a.m., with executive directors speaking on the most successful phases of their own housing projects.

The afternoon sessions will be round-table discussions of various groups, who will discuss subjects such as rent collections, maintenance, community services, and management.

Poster exhibits will be on display in the Lounge Room, during the conference, depicting medical services and child care programs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wagele, parents of Mrs. Walter Del Tredici, were here for Thanksgiving festivities with their daughter and three grandsons.

Leatherneck



Lieutenant General A. A. Vandegrift, who this week was made commanding general of all U. S. Marines

Vacancies In Nursery And Child Center

The Nursery School and Child Care Center for the children of working mothers here are now open for additional enrollments, with the Nursery School ready to accept 15 new pre-school children and the center ready to accept 25 school-age boys and girls, says Superintendent Clifton Boyle.

This announcement follows an erroneous statement in last week's "Citizen" that the Nursery School was filled to capacity, which was made when the school supposedly had a waiting list of 22 children.

"However," says Boyle, "when this list was contacted we discovered that there was only one response to it. Other families have moved away or made other arrangements."

The child care services program is sponsored by Federal Lanham Act funds and administered by the local school board under the direction of Boyle. The cost of each child's care is shared by the Federal Government and parents' fees, which are 75 cents per day per child for complete daytime supervision and food.

Nurse Training For Mothers Demanded

A campaign to enlist Marin City women and their teen-age daughters in the Home Nursing classes here starts next week, with enrollments being solicited from a table staffed at the Commercial Center Monday through Friday from 1 to 4 p.m.

The classes are being sponsored by the Red Cross and conducted by registered nurses as a wartime health measure to meet the doctor shortage.

Women who have not taken the class are urged to sign up at the market enrollment table or go to the Home Nursing headquarters, A41, Apt. 363, on Tuesday evenings.

Joyce Palmer, active Teener member, is now working as a painter's helper at the Oakland Shipbuilding Corporation.

Negro Shipyard Workers Protest Union Auxiliary and Firings; Charge Company Ignores Suit

For the past week Marin City has been the center of one of the most critical labor situations in the Bay Area in recent years.

The situation arose when Marinship started firing Negro workers after the Negroes had refused to join a separate Negro auxiliary of the Boilermakers Union. The contract between the shipyard and the union calls for maintenance of union membership as a condition of employment.

For some months Negro workers in Bay Area shipyards have protested the existence of a separate Negro auxiliary of the Boilermakers Union, claiming it to be an "example of the kind of discrimination we're fighting against abroad." They have pointed out that a majority of unions, both CIO and AFL, have tried to remove such auxiliaries from the labor scene.

880 Kids Attend Marin City School

With 10 new pupils, most of them from Texas, coming into Marin City's school last Monday, the enrollment reached 880—exactly 100 more than attended the first day of school here last September.

This booming enrollment, during the last three months, has necessitated the hiring of three new teachers and double sessions of most of the grades.

This week, for the first time, the enrollment has brought doubling-up of two grades in the same room with the same teacher. Last Monday, 10 seventh grade pupils moved into Mrs. Isobel Jones' afternoon sixth grade class, bringing the classroom enrollment for both grades up to 46. The two grades of children will share the classroom and Mrs. Jones' teaching time, a common practice in rural schools.

City To Get Many Trees For Christmas

Instead of a predicted famine of Christmas trees for sale here, Marin City residents are apparently going to get a holiday tree surplus. Unofficial word has it that the executive director, the House Committee, the Marin City Council, and the manager all granted exclusive concession rights to tree salesmen without prior collaboration.

The present lineup calls for tree sales at the market, the service station, a one-day bargain sale on the ball field, and another concession around the corner on county property.

Volunteers Meet Next Tuesday

Two fire drills for Marin City's Volunteer Firemen are scheduled for next Tuesday, says Fire Chief Rolf Bremer. A 9 a.m. drill will call out the graveyard and swing shifts. Day workers will respond to a fire drill at 7 p.m.

Deputy Sheriff Leaves City

R. Edgar, deputy sheriff, left the Marin City Police Department last Tuesday. Edgar said he was leaving to take an airplane field job in Minneapolis.

Yule Party For Kids On Sunday

The Community Christmas Party for all Marin City children is set for 6:30 on Sunday, December 19, with a full program headed by Santa Claus, Christmas carols, a Christmas story motion picture, a Christmas play, and treats for everyone out of Santa's full pack.

The party, which is sponsored by an allied committee of all organizations here under the direction of Verne Lindberg, promises to be one of Marin City's biggest affairs. Donations from residents and merchants will finance the festivities.

The cast of the Christmas play is led by Santa Claus himself, direct from his Ice Palace at the North Pole. Others are: Betty Lee Maycock, Charles Hensen, Norma Stanley, Nancy Maycock, Mona Christiansen, Patricia Logue, Jerry Henson, Billy Richardson, Arthur Walenta, Juanita Waycott, Opal Henson, Mrs. N. E. Christiansen and Verne Lindberg.

Other participants in the party are Lloyd Messersmith, who will direct the Teeners in the stage set construction; Arthur Walenta and the Sea Scouts, who are to find the Christmas tree; the Women's Club, which is sacking the Christmas treats, and Dan Allen and Mrs. S. W. Frisby, who will furnish the music.

Councilmen To Try Dog Bans Here Once More

Dog owners are warned that the Improvement Committee, under the influence of new members Dan Lounsbury and H. B. Campbell, intend to make one more try toward enforcing the existing rule against dogs running loose in Marin City. Chairman Arthur D'Ettel has undertaken to find out where the committee stands legally, and just what we can do to rid our town of these bands of roving dogs who may or may not have owners. If your dog is an old family friend, but is too large to be confined, better begin thinking about shipping him home to the family for the duration.

In the absence of all representatives of management, and half of the committee, no decisive action was taken. Those present, however, took the opportunity to air their own pet peeves, among which were the slow service at the post office and the non-existent bus service on the hill.

Last Saturday morning several hundred Negro workers held a demonstration before the shipyard gates to protest the firings. The demonstration was orderly.

On Monday, Federal Judge A. F. St. Sure issued a restraining order in the United States District Court forbidding further discharge of Negro workers and ordering the rehiring of the 160 discharged to date. Joseph James, welder and noted Negro baritone, and 20 other Negro Marinship workers applied for the order and filed a suit at the same time for \$150,000 damages from the Boilermakers Union for loss of pay.

Wednesday spokesmen for the Negro workers said that the company had not allowed the men to go back to work. They stated that some of the discharged men had attempted to rehire and had not been allowed to.

The possibility of requesting Judge St. Sure to hold Marinship in contempt of court was being considered by attorneys for the Negro workers.

Yesterday Federal Judge Michael Roche rejected a plea of attorneys for the Boilermakers Union for modification of the restraining order issued by Judge St. Sure. The action of Judge Roche makes it mandatory for the union to clear all Negro workers for jobs and for Marinship to hire all such cleared workers.

Attorneys for the shipyard told the court that the company wanted to rehire the men but could not do so until the union had given them formal clearance.

Yesterday sound trucks were touring Marin City and other Marin County points telling the Negro workers of the court order and asking them to come back to work.

Boilermakers Union officials, in defending the auxiliary, stated that it was part of the international union's policy.

Previous to the order of Judge St. Sure, Negro workers, organized into the Bay Area Committee Against Discrimination, held a meeting urging all of the Negro workers who had left their jobs to return to work. Many Negro workers had quit in protest over the firings of their fellow workers. Most of them had returned by last Monday afternoon.

The dispute has been placed in the hands of the Fair Employment Practices Committee, a Federal agency designed to overcome racial prejudice in war industry.

None of the Negro workers have refused to join the union. Their spokesman stated, however, that they refused to join what they call a "Jim Crow" section of the union.

Citizens Take Many Community Problems to Council Meeting; Late Mail Delivery Is Protested

"The inter-city bus should run on the hill for shift changes."

"My mail is always late. Can't we do something about this post office?"

"The highway pedestrian crossing is dangerous. Signs or lights are needed."

"Keep the children out of apartment washrooms."

So ran a barrage of resident "beefs" during the Good of Marin Hour at last Sunday's Marin City Council meeting, which is the time when citizens here instruct their councilmen of needed changes or additions to the organization of this community.

The issue which brought the greatest storm of protest along with it was the post office. When one resident mentioned the consistent lateness of her mail delivery, the complaint was echoed through the audience and council.

The council was also approached to find if the commercial building lavatories couldn't be open 24 hours. H. A. Kelley declared that it was necessary and that the 24-hour access to the lavatories "would relieve a lot of us."

The pedestrian highway crossing was again brought up at this meeting, with everyone agreed that the present situation was dangerous, and suggestions were made to have signs or lights installed. Milen Dempster, management representative, stated that the State Highway Commission had warned the Housing Authority that signs were an added danger as it gave the pedestrians a false sense of security without any protection. The commission maintained that experience has shown that motorists do not regard such signs.

Dempster brought out the possibility of the Greyhound Lines moving their bus station inside the project for loading and unloading passengers, which would completely eliminate the highway danger. This plan has not definitely been settled, however, he stated.

Someone in the audience demanded that steps be taken to enforce the isolation of communicable diseases here, stating that in many instances mothers let isolated children play in the neighborhood and go into nearby houses.

In answer to this, the management representative urgently suggested that such cases should immediately be reported to the office or the Medical Center, so that the law regarding isolation may be enforced by county officials.

Mrs. R. A. Shane took the floor at this time to point out that the Home Nursing Courses here are part of the answer to the lack of isolation. She stated that every mother should take the course so that she might realize the necessity of isolation and how to care for her children.

Other items which were brought out for discussion were a map of the project at the entrance, poor hill ice delivery, gravel needed on hill roads and across the playground, and additional town light needs.

All these subjects were referred to the Improvement Committee of the council for further investigation and action.

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Teeners To Elect Own City Council

Marin City's Teeners who have been widely accused by the adults here of Community Building wreckage last week took action to police their own ranks and to elect their own council.

Their Junior Council election will be held next Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Auditorium. The newly-elected council will then choose a Junior Police Department and a Junior Fire Department, whose job will be to take care of the gym.

All Teeners in Marin City are urgently requested to be at this next meeting, which will be followed by a dance of their own.

The meetings have been arranged with the help of Mrs. Martha Roberts of the local Recreation Department.

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Council To Question Yard On War Chest

Whether or not Marin City's Community Fund would receive money from Marinship's War Chest drive was brought up at last Sunday's council meeting here by Mrs. Marie Larson, USO Travelers' Aid director.

Mrs. Larson pointed out that Travelers' Aid Budget is limited and that Community Fund money will be needed more now that residents have lived here over a year and their problems are becoming known. Also, she stated, additional aid must be given in many cases, now that the maternity care has been withdrawn from the medical plan here.

Resentment was shown by councilmen and citizens at the wording of the card which solicited membership funds from the shipyard workers. The card singled out Marin City, from all the county, for "welfare."

"As we have suffered the stigmatism, we should get the money," declared Michael Smith, council chairman.

As there is no organization or agency here known as "Marin City Welfare," the Community Fund Committee was charged with the responsibility of contacting yard officials to learn the destination of money set aside under that heading.

A letter from Italy came last week to Mr. and Mrs. Earl James of Marin City from their son, Army Corporal William James, saying "we're having some pretty exciting times over here." James went to Italy after being stationed in Ireland and Africa.

Horseshoe Tournaments Each Sunday

Last Sunday's Horseshoe Tournament at the Fire House found the team of Herbert Massen and W. G. Holman two-time winners against the C. O. Gilliband-Mike Smith and P. R. Tyree-William Stohr teams.

Another horseshoe set gave William Stohr and P. R. Tyree the lead over H. A. Kelly and D. E. Berge.

Anyone interested in playing should leave their name with Fire Chief Bremer, naming partners when possible. Play starts at 1 p.m. and goes on to 3 every Sunday. Everyone welcome.

Earl James Voted New Councilman

Earl James of Apartment District B was voted in as a new member of the council at the meeting last Sunday. James was voted in after recommendation by Councilman Ed Anderson and Oliver Engle of that district. He replaces V. B. Underwood, who resigned two weeks ago.

Marin City will be host to the National Association of Housing Officials on December 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Several Marin City mothers are anxious to organize a dancing class here for their young daughters. Interested residents may drop their names in the news box at the market.

Library Has First Birthday

Marin City's library celebrated its first anniversary here last week. This branch of the Marin County Free Library opened December 1, 1942, at the Community Building.

"Since then," says Miss Helen Sullivan, librarian, "our book circulation has gone from 934 to 2000 per month, and our subscribers have increased to about 500."



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Child Care Rules Tighten As Center Grows

Stating that "it is our desire to make our Nursery School and Child Care Center a 'real home' to your child during the hours you are working," School Superintendent Clifton Boyle this week announced the new policy and rules governing the child services program here. In anticipation of an increased pupil load in the program, the following changes are being made:

1. All fees must be paid in advance by the week or month. (State Department of Education requirement.) There will be no refunds unless the family is moving away. To simplify our bookkeeping, Friday payments are preferred. Should the fees become delinquent for a period of more than three days, it will be necessary to eliminate the child from the Nursery School or Child Care Center, and accept a child whose name appears on the waiting list.
2. The Nursery School hours are from 7:15 a.m. until 5 p.m. Parents must call for their children not later than 5:15 p.m. daily.
3. Children that are absent other than for illness may be placed on the waiting list so that other children can be admitted.
4. In addition to our regular staff we have now added a registered nurse, who will conduct daily inspections of children. The person bringing a child to the Nursery School will be expected to remain until the inspection is complete each day.
5. Should parents and child reside off the Marin housing area, the Health Center will not provide free medical attention. These parents should make arrangements at once with the doctors at the Health Center relative to payment of doctor in case it is found necessary to take the child there during Nursery School hours.
6. Should you reside outside of the Sausalito School District, it will be necessary for you to obtain and have on file in the Nursery School office a letter from the Clerk of the School Board of the district in which you reside granting their permission to send your child to our Nursery School.
7. Children that are ill or show symptoms of a contagious disease should not be brought to the Nursery School or Child Care Center.

School Kids Get Popular TB Tests

The same tuberculin test which was pictured and written of in last week's "Life" magazine, next week comes to Marin City's school for the school children, their parents, and younger brothers and sisters. This is the health letter which has been sent out to parents by Miss Dulcie Green, school nurse, and Clifton Boyle, superintendent:

TUBERCULIN PATCH-TESTING PROGRAM

"On Monday, December 6, 1943, tuberculin patch-testing of the school children will be done in the Marin City school by the County Health Department.

"The test consists of a short strip of adhesive tape on which are small patches of tuberculin material. The adhesive tape is simply placed on the arm, then removed 48 hours later. By this time the tuberculin in the patches has penetrated the skin. About four days later, small reddened areas may appear on the skin where the tuberculin has penetrated, indicating that a positive reaction has been set up by the body. This usually means that at some time the person tested has come in contact with someone who had tuberculosis, and that some of the germs have entered his body. This can happen without the person becoming diseased with tuberculosis. However, anyone having a positive reaction to the test should have an X-ray of the chest to be sure there is no beginning infection in the lungs.

"We recommend that everyone take advantage of this valuable free testing program. Fill out the attending request card as fully as possible, being sure there is a signed card for each child you wish tested.

The schedule on Monday will be:
9 to 11 a.m.—For morning and whole day sessions.
1 to 2 p.m.—For afternoon sessions.

"Adults wishing tests for themselves or for children under school age are invited to come to the school during these hours. Readings of the tests will be taken at the school on Friday, December 10.

"It is hoped that arrangements can be made that all those having positive reactions can be X-rayed conveniently in Marin City in the near future."

Pie Socials, Swing Promise Winter Fun

A Swing Music Society, Pie Socials, Spelling Bees, Boxing and Wrestling Matches, a Quiz Program, and a Cooking Contest are just a few of the headliners charted for winter months entertainment here by the Recreation Department.

The program for adult residents includes the already going square and folk dances, Sunday afternoon Symphony Session (records), card party tournaments (in the districts), pie socials, current events forum, circulating mixers, horse-shoe tournaments, state parties, movie shorts on current issues, interior decoration course, and Spring-city fair.

Activities planned for Teeners call for evening and after-school activities, debate group, drama group, wood-working group, bulletin class and wrestling and boxing matches.

For the children there will be crafts, better movies, story-telling, music appreciation, drama, models and marble tournaments, and organized gym games.

The Rental Office is open until 5:30 daily except Saturday and Sunday.

Strictly Personal . . .

By PEGGY BILLINGSLEY .. Dinner guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. George Hinnenkamp were Mrs. T. Arrata and James Wilson of Berkeley.

Miss Mary Schroder is a new Marinship secretary, coming here from Fargo, N. D. She is making her home with the C. H. Husel family, who are also Fargoans.

Teachers of the Marin City school last Wednesday gave a tea in honor of Mrs. Clifton Boyle, wife of the school superintendent.

Mrs. Helen Van Pelt's sister from Portland, Ore., Mrs. Ralph Scott, was here for Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Van Pelt. She is on her way to Stockton where she will see her Army Air Force son receive his wings.

Mrs. Harold Shaw was disappointed when she received word her husband would not be home for Thanksgiving. But now she's looking forward to Christmas, for he's been promised a furlough then.

No Meeting Days Lost by New Mother in Club

Mrs. Ferd Leander, outgoing treasurer of the Marin City Women's Club, was publicly complimented by the club at last Wednesday's meeting for never missing a session of the club during a year's service. The birth of her baby daughter was sandwiched in between the November and December club gatherings.



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Marin County Red Cross
Nutrition Chairman

The past month has been "Food Fights for Freedom" month, but from all we can gather, food will be fighting for freedom for some years after the armistice is signed. Conserve, share, play square, and produce food. Most of us can learn to conserve our food a little more. It is estimated that is one slice of bread per family per week is wasted it would amount to 100,000,000 loaves of bread in a year.

Point rationing is a system of sharing food with our armed forces and allies and if we "play square" by observing the rules and adjusting to changes, we can have good health and help food fight for freedom. Some of us have been very conscious of rationing long before OPA—dollar rationing. It was estimated that Victory Gardens in California exceeded 1,000,000 and produced 1,250,000 tons of fruits and vegetables in 1943. The goal for 1944 is no less, but must be more if we are to have some of the good food that we know is needed for health.

Many committees and agencies are cooperating to give us information about how we can help in this all-inclusive program. In Marin County the services of the Red Cross Nutrition Committee, Bay Area Nutrition in Industry Committee, the Marin County Nutrition in War Council, the University of California Agriculture Extension service, and the Marin County Health Department are available. If anyone who has any questions about food, whether it be production, preservation, preparation, or rationing of food, will direct them to this column, an attempt will be made to find the answer. Please give name and address so that questions answerable by available literature can be handled by mail.

Here are some old friends presented in a different way: Bacon and eggs with bread in a soufflé. This serves four. Fry one-fourth cup finely diced bacon. Brush 3 slices bread with bacon drippings, cut slices in small pieces to fit deep casserole; arrange in layers, sprinkling each with bacon. Combine 3 slightly beaten eggs, 1 cup milk, one-half teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon mustard and one-fourth teaspoon paprika. Pour over bread. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees)

Council Fund Helps Families Thanksgiving

Turkey dinners and well-stocked larders came to five Marin City families temporarily down on their luck as a Thanksgiving Day gift from the Community Fund of the Marin City Council, it was related at last Sunday's council meeting.

Chairman W. C. Billingsley's report showed \$100 distributed to give these people "reason for thanks" on that traditional day. The emergency appropriation was solicited by Mrs. Marie Larson, Travelers' Aid director, who assured the council that "the money was badly needed, very much appreciated, and well spent in every case."

She cited one case of a family of 10, in which both the mother and father were ill, for whom the temporary financial lift meant the difference between food or hunger on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Maggard announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Ann, on November 1 at Ross Hospital.

until puffy and mixture doesn't adhere to inserted knife, about 45 minutes.

To Get Jive and Long- Hair Music

Symphony and Swing come to Marin City this week with a Sunday afternoon Symphony Session scheduled on the 5th at 1 in the Lounge Room, and "Le Jaz Hot" getting organized this Friday.

Al Barden will conduct the recorded Sunday session, assisted by Charles Steffes.

"Le Jazz Hot" meets this Friday at 8 p.m. to get the program under way. "Bunk" Johnson and his fans will be included in their winter season here.

Both music societies, to please everyone's tastes, are being sponsored by the Marin County Recreation Department under Martha Roberts' direction.

New Chairman Of Committee

Arthur D'Ettel, councilman from District C, is the new chairman of the Marin City Council's Improvement Committee, the organization which fights for the betterment of living conditions here.

The committee will continue to meet in open session every Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the Community Building, says D'Ettel.

Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Bird on the birth of a son November 26 at Ross General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rudolphi on the birth of a son November 23 at Ross General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McGuire had a three-day vacation at Red Bluff—spent pheasant shooting.

Ladies of the Women's Club adjourned for an hour's moving of dishes and club possessions after the meeting last Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Cooper has resigned as chairman of the Salvage Committee of the Marin City Women's Club.

Darrell Adams and his wife left for a week's visit at Porterville.

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Women's Club Elects New Officers; Mrs. Earl James Is President for New Year

Mrs. Earl James, recent club member who has been active in Civilian Defense work here, is the new president of the Marin City Women's Club following last Wednesday's election night. Mrs. James succeeds Mrs. J. R. Kahrt, who declared "it's fun to be president" as she turned the chair over to the new top officer.

Other incoming officers for the coming year are Mrs. Harmon Smith, vice president; Mrs. Ed Mathews, recording secretary; Mrs. G. R. Hobson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Walter Parker, treasurer.

The new board of directors, voted in at the meeting, are: Mrs. George Galbraith, Mrs. Robert Cooper, Mrs. George Hinnenkamp, Mrs. J. R. Kahrt, Mrs. B. C. Bloomquist, Mrs. W. C. Billingsley, Mrs. H. W. McGuire, Mrs. Bonnie Bright. Board alternates elected are Mrs. Helen Van Pelt and Mrs. W. N. Makaroff.

In leaving the chair, Mrs. Kahrt gave a brief outline of the last year's work of the club which was Marin City's first organization. An impressive list of Marin City "firsts" include the cooperative nursery school; the first community social event, the Harvest Frolic; Christmas party for children here; potluck supper; beginning of the Blood Donor Service; an Art Exhibit, and numerous campaigns to raise funds for Marin County charities.

The first new business of the club's new officers was to arrange for a club exhibit of their work at the NAHO conference coming next week. Mrs. James designated board members to appear Wednesday morning to set up the display.

Unfinished business brought up at the meeting included the matter of scrapbooks for soldiers in the hospitals. Alice James of the Teeners' group and Mrs. H. W. McGuire of the club were named to superintend the Teeners' work on the books.

Christmas plans were brought up by Mrs. George Galbraith, who asked for cake donations Christmas Eve or before 2 p.m. on Christmas Day. Other Christmas activities will in-

clude the sacking of candy for the children's party, and the Service Men's night at the Sausalito club, December 21.

More Cleanup In City This Sunday

This Sunday marks the pick-up day of trash gathered by residents of houses 1 to 353, with five maintenance trucks and 14 men scheduled to pack away the yard debris, starting at 8 a.m.

Residents are instructed to have the trash piled adjacent to the garbage bins. Rakes for the yard cleanups may still be borrowed from the Garden Center or the Maintenance Department.

Last Sunday the trucks and men collected trash from Marin City's hill district. "The residents there did a fine job cleaning up, and their district is a credit to the community," says Merritt Webster of the Housing Authority.

Householders in houses 651-807 who cleaned up yards after the trucks had passed in the early morning last Sunday will have their trash collections picked up this Sunday.

New Head Nurse At Medical Center

Miss Margaret Mazman took over her duties as head nurse at the Medical Center this week. She replaces Mrs. Fred Van Sicklen (Miss Lilley), who recently resigned.

Miss Mazman is not a Marin City stranger as she handled the same job temporarily last October while Miss Lilley was vacationing.

Fun With Mixer Party On Saturday

Marin City's newest party scheme — Circulating Mixers — starts off this Saturday at the home of Mrs. Carrie Percy. The idea, which originated in wartime England, is designed to promote neighborliness.

It begins with one host or hostess inviting guests for a social evening in their home. The guests draw lots, with the winner agreeing to play host to another gathering with a different personnel.

The Recreation Department will supply blank invitations for each guest — available through Ethel Johnson in the Rental Office or Mrs. Martha Roberts of the department.

Talent is wanted for Circulating Mixer parties entertainment. Amateur singers, guitarists, magicians are all needed, says Mrs. Roberts.

Home Nutrition Demonstration State's First

The first home nutrition demonstration to be given in the state took place last Thursday when Nora C. Hawkins, County nutritionist, came to Mrs. Robert Smith's home here and prepared and discussed menus and food.

Mrs. Henry Young and Mrs. Morrell Harris were neighborhood guests at the demonstration.

Navy Son

Clifford D. Brock, private first class of the Marines, spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock, and brother and sister, Gene and Kathryn, of house 506.

Clifford has just completed sea school at San Diego and has been transferred to Treasure Island for further training. He was inducted into the service from Iola, Kansas.

Strictly Personal . . .

By PEGGY BILLINGSLEY

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Makaroff of Sacramento were week-end guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Makaroff.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Makaroff had as their dinner guests on Sunday Makaroff's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. William Makaroff of Guerneville.

Mrs. J. W. Greenwood, house 367, has returned from a three weeks' vacation trip, which she spent in New York visiting her daughter and son-in-law, and in Iowa with her father and sister.

Mrs. Verne Lindberg left last Wednesday for Whittier, Calif., where she will spend two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kaplan of house 80 returned home last Sunday from a week's vacation

in Los Angeles where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Kaplan's cousin, stayed with other relatives there, and went on a round of sight-seeing trips. The wedding was a war romance, with the Army sergeant sending for his boyhood sweetheart, who lived in St. Paul, Minn., to come and be married on his Thanksgiving furlough. The Kaplans' home town is also St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Nottingham and daughter of Upper Lake, Calif., are Marin City visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Paul Nolin. They are staying on for a visit following the wedding of their granddaughter, Ethel, last Sunday.

Floyd Longley and Carrol Jacoby, Army husbands of Marin City's third and fourth grade teachers, left early this week for overseas duty after spending Thanksgiving furloughs at their homes.

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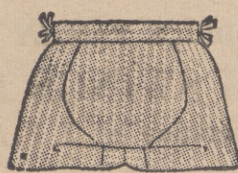
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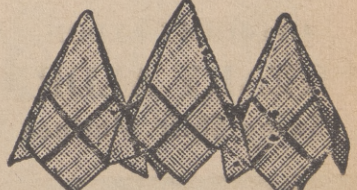
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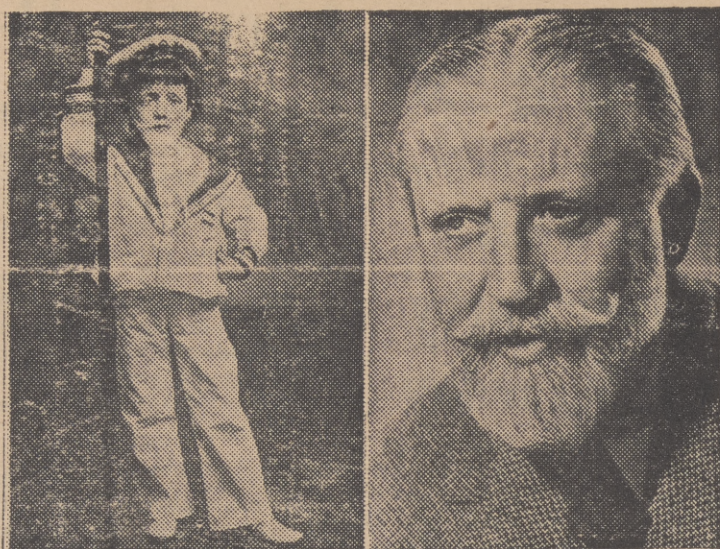
Square and folk dancing for swing shifters goes on every Sunday at 8 p.m. at the Community Building, with Noah Kirby calling the turns.

Another square dance evening is held every Monday at 7:30 under the direction of Mrs. Lois Nelson of the Recreation Department, with Noah Kirby and Elmer Moore calling.

Square dancing for young people takes place Wednesday at 4 p.m., with Noah Kirby instructing and calling. The Teeners' dance group is held at the Control Center Building.

Everyone is welcome at these groups. There is no charge.

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THE WEEK'S BEST SHOWS

By ANNIE OAKLEY

"The Beard" is bristling again. Monty Woolley, whose facial camouflage has tickled the fancies of theatergoers and movie fans alike, is back in another of his biting, satirical, and terribly funny characterizations.

Anyone who remembers Woolley singing "I'm a Little Rabbit" in "The Man Who Came to Dinner" doesn't need urging to make tracks for the Marin or the El Camino where his newest picture, "Holy Matrimony," is showing this week.

Co-starring with him is Gracie Fields, who does a bit of singing herself.

And speaking of "The Beard" reminds me of his rules for remaining a bachelor: (1) Tell her you've lost all your money. That's the acid test—she'll be sure to tell you "I'll love you just as much if I never see you again." (2) Remember that a girl still enjoys flowers and candy—let her know that you remember by speaking of them occasionally. (3) Never drive with one hand. Many a man has driven into a church that

way! Gas rationing has been the salvation of many a bachelor. The automobile was one of the worst man traps civilization has ever set.

He usually concludes by muttering morosely, "Marriage is for married people."

But enough of Woolley. Go see him for yourself. He's always worth the price of admission.

The western and action fans have a good week ahead of them. Friday and Saturday at the Gate, Roy Rogers rides and shoots his way through "Jesse James at Bay." Only Rogers fans need attend.

"Corvette K-225" will be at the Marin, Sequoia and Tamalpais during the week, and "Destroyer" and "Aerial Gunner" will create plenty of noise and excitement at a couple of other county theaters.

When you look at your theater guide below, pay particular attention to the two or three revivals listed. Right now the oldies are usually a better bet than something hot off the camera.

Woolley Doesn't Know What It Is To Shave!

At the turn of the century, an enterprising photographer took the picture that appears above (left) and sent it in to the casting director of 20th Century-Fox. "Hmm," hummed the casting director, "a very unusual type of baby." And he filed it under "WATCH THESE!" A few years later, the admirer sent in the second of the series, and the casting director again filed it for future reference. Justifying the casting director's hunch, only 38 years later, Monty Woolley fulfilled this man's simple faith by turning in his fourth straight smash hit—this time co-starring with Gracie Fields in "Holy Matrimony," where between scenes Monty spent his time working on a sensational fool-proof hair restorer.

For ordinary mortals it is to be noted that Mr. Woolley does

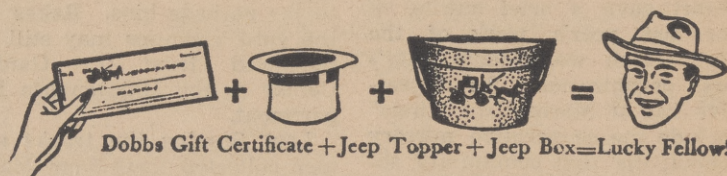
not know what it means to shave . . . that Betty Grable has knitted him four fascinators for his hirsute appendage . . . that he wishes it settled for all time that he sleeps with his chin sporan outside the covers. This is the last Monty wants to hear or tell about beards—but his magnificent growth plays an important part in "Holy Matrimony."

Gracie Fields, Monty's co-star, had no definite opinion of beards when she came to Hollywood, but after appearing in "Holy Matrimony" her mind was made up. She loves 'em!

Nunnally Johnson produced the picture and also wrote the screen play. John Stahl directed the film, which features Laird Cregar, Una O'Connor, Alan Mowbray, Melville Cooper and Franklin Pangborn.

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Swing Shift Matinee Thursday at 1 P. M.

GATE THEATRE

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday
Dec. 5, 6, 7

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Wednesday, Thursday
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Dec. 10, 11

ROY ROGERS

"Jesse James at Bay"

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Shirley Ross in
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Swing Shift Matinee
Friday at 11 a. m.

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"AERIAL GUNNER"

—Also—

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HUMPHREY BOGART - BETTE DAVIS
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Monty Woolley - Gracie Fields

"HOLY MATRIMONY"

Also Kenny Baker and Jess Donnell

"DOUGHBOYS IN IRELAND"

Thurs., Fri., Sat.—Dec. 9, 10, 11

Donald O'Connor - Susanna Foster

"TOP MAN"

Also Allan Jones in

"YOU'RE A LUCKY FELLOW,
MR. SMITH"

RAFAEL

Sunday, Monday—Dec. 5, 6

Edward G. Robinson in

"DESTROYER"

Also Vera Vague in

"Swing Your Partners"

Tues., Wed., Thurs.—Dec. 7, 8, 9

Irene Dunne - Fred MacMurray in

"Invitation to Happiness"

Also Walter Huston - Walter Brennan

"Swamp Water"

TAMALPAIS

Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed.—Dec. 5 to 8

Humphrey Bogart - Bette Davis
and Errol Flynn in

"THANK YOUR LUCKY STARS"

Also Richard Arlen - Wendy Barrie in

"SUBMARINE ALERT"

Thurs., Fri., Sat.—Dec. 9, 10, 11

Randolph Scott - Noah Beery Jr.

"CORVETTE K-225"

Also Frances Langford and

Robert Paige in

"COWBOY IN MANHATTAN"

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Fri., Sat., Sun.—Dec. 3, 4, 5

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News of Army Son Reaches Mother Here After Being Printed in Chicago and Sent On

News of their Army son, stationed somewhere in England, came this week by devious routes to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Olson of Marin City. It is a newspaper clipping from the Chicago Herald which describes the work of the Eighth Air Force service command to which their son, Sgt. Russell J. Olson, is attached.

The news was sent, by an unidentified woman of Elmhurst, Illinois, to "the nearest relative of Sergeant Olson, Trent, South Dakota." The notice was de-

livered to her mother there, says Mrs. Olson, because the postmistress of the small town of Trent knows every family in it. The last stage of the letter's journey brought it to the soldier's mother here.

Dated October 22, the article says, "This is a story about the boys who never get any medals or glory, but to whom 'Keep 'Em Flying' is plenty more than just a slogan.

"It's up to the thousands of men of the Eighth Air Force service command to get battle-damaged bombers back in the air as soon as possible, to modify planes upon their arrival here, to keep a steady flow of bombs rolling to scores of airdromes, to train personnel in technical schools and to do uncounted other jobs which never hit the headlines.

"To accomplish all this takes personnel which explains why this outfit is the biggest command in this theater.

"Bombers which return too heavily damaged to be moved are taken over by mobile repair units, some of which are on the road for a month at a time. Often temporary repairs enable the bombers to be flown to this base. It is nothing for men of this command to work day and night to get a job finished.

"Twelve of us once worked 72 hours straight without hitting our bunks," said Sgt. Russell J. Olson of Trent, S. D., a sheetmetal specialist. "We got a 48-hour leave as a bonus, but we needed it."

Makes Jig For Prize At Yard

October's Production Drive Contest at Marinship brought a \$25 bond to A. W. Redlin, house 106, who turned in a jig for making fairleads. "And that's not all," says Redlin, "I've got about six other jigs up my sleeve I'm going to turn in."

Honorable mention in the contest came to Paul Nolin, who submitted a special steel mitre box for skill saw. His award came from the War Production Drive headquarters at Washington, D. C.

Airplane Model Building For Boys

Airplane model classes and tournaments for boy flying enthusiasts start here December 14 with the first meet enlisting boys of 13 to 19 years of age, at 7:30 on that date.

Another class for boys 6 to 12 years of age will be held every Wednesday, starting December 15 at 3:30 p.m. at the Community Building.

Arthur D'Ettel, an enthusiastic model builder for years, is taking over the instruction and leadership of the two groups.

Dues to the new organizations will be 5 cents per person, to help cover supply costs. Every Marin City boy is eligible to join.

Class For Decoration

Classes in interior decoration start soon, says Martha Roberts of the Recreation Department. Interested women should drop a card to P.O. Box 236 so that the class can get organized.

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Marin City Couple Wed In Mill Valley

Ethel Nolin, Marinship stenographer and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Nolin of Marin City, was married to Richard William Ferns of the United States Navy at a ceremony at the Mill Valley Community Church last Sunday afternoon.

The bride wore white satin and carried a bouquet of gardenias. She was attended by Miss Bernice Redlin, maid of honor, who wore pink taffeta and carried pink flowers. The best man was Richard Kingsley, friend and fellow seaman of the groom.

Betty and Nancy Maycock, Marin City friends of the bride, sang a duet preceding the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Arthur Cassidy.

At a reception which was held at the church following the wedding, a cake baked by the bridegroom, who is a baker at Fort Scott, was served to the wedding guests. The cake was decorated by tiny sailor and bride figures.

After a few days honeymoon at Santa Rosa the newlyweds will be at home in their B-11 apartment here. Mrs. Ferns will go back to her war job, and her sailor husband will be back at his fort duties which permit his living at his new home.

Council Members Are Bonded

The authorization of \$20 to bond the chairman and the treasurer of the Marin City Council was last Sunday voted by that body. The bonding of the two council men guarantees funds up to \$2000.

Another measure, to protect individual council members from financial responsibility of the group, is being adopted with the incorporation of the council. This move places the council on record as a non-profit organization.

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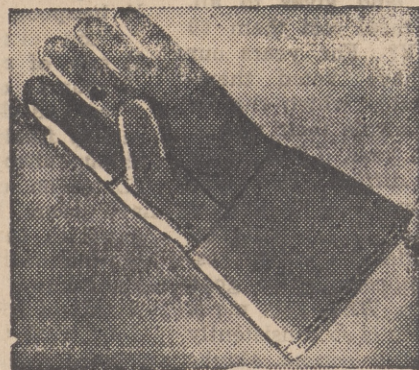
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Thanksgiving Day our representatives filed into their favorite restaurants in Washington and partook of the bounties which this land gives to all. The entire meal cost them 60 cents. WHY? For years our legislators have voted themselves a subsidy which enables them to eat within their means. At \$10,000 a year, I imagine a man has a difficult time getting the proper diet. I wonder who pays the tip? Perhaps tipping is considered a vulgar gesture and unbecoming to good statesmanship. What gets me is that their vote is so consistently contrary to their actions. Maybe the Black Horse Cavalry never has been mustered out.

CASUS BELLI

Declaration of war is usually accompanied by supposedly justifiable pretexts. The Axis spent a sleepless night preparing their grievances and plans for the subsequent announcement to the world accompanied by the crescendo of armed invasion. Twenty-five years after the sound of gunfire died away we have acknowledgements that the policies of our isolationists were wrong and some of these tired old men too easily confess their shortcomings. No doubt post-war will give us as much to read about. Pearl Harbor, Bataan, Midway, etc. We no doubt will receive fur-

GOOD FOOD NEWS

Last week's Marin Citizen printed my recipe for chocolate drop cookies—but there was a "misprint," and I want to correct this. Soda was printed twice and I'm afraid the results might be disastrous so I will give it again.

1 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup shortening
Cream well and add
1 egg beaten
Sift and measure
1 1/2 cups white flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
Add alternately with
1/2 cup of milk, and then
3 squares of chocolate melted and slightly cooled
1/2 cup finely cut dates
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Drop on cookie sheets that have been lightly oiled and heated in the oven (this prevents spreading). Bake at 375 degrees and ice with a small amount of icing.

Last week the Cookie Brigade received a letter from the hostess at Fort Cronkhite asking

for this recipe. The Army wishes to try it, for the boys loved the cookies.

Mrs. Mary Galbraith

Longing for cake, We all do now and then and here is an easy and a very good recipe.

HOT MILK CAKE

Sift and measure
1 cup all purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
Heat to boiling
1/2 cup sweet milk
1 tablespoon butter
Remove from fire
Beat very light
2 whole eggs
and gradually beat in
1 cup granulated sugar
and beat till thick and lemon colored. Add
1 teaspoon flavoring, the hot milk and butter and the sifted flour and baking powder, and very quickly beat until smooth.

Pour in an oiled and floured cake pan 8x12 inches and bake in pre-heated oven set at 375 degrees for about 25 minutes. This recipe also makes 12 large cup cakes. Frost as desired. Quick mixing and a good egg beater are the secret of this cake.

Mrs. Marjorie Fitch, spending the day with her sister at Lomita Park, decided to go on to the nearby Bay Meadow charity races last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cooper and Ronnie left for Princeton, Calif., for a week's vacation. After Cooper returns to his job here, Mrs. Cooper and son are staying on to visit her mother.

All CD Units Meet Monday For Business

The Day and Graveyard Civilian Defense meets for their regular business session next Monday at 7:30 at the Control Center. The business meeting will be followed by a social hour.

Chief Warden Richard Vanderwilt and Coordinator Al Babcock will be present with important information for the members.

All residents of Marin City who are interested in CD activities or in First Aid are urged to attend.

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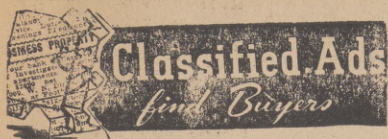
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PTA Board To Meet

The executive board of the Marin City Parent-Teacher Association meets December 10 at 1:30 at the school building, says Mrs. J. B. Wilker, president of the local organization.

The meeting, to which all officers and members are invited, will conduct usual business as well as complete plans for the December 15 general meeting of the group.

LOST—A boy's red rain hat last Tuesday, between the school and house 81. This is his third lost hat of the season. If someone has found it, please stuff it into the news box at the market or leave with Miss Ethel Johnson at the Rental Office. 50 cents reward.

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The following letter of appreciation to the Marin City Women's Club Cookie Brigade was received this week by Mrs. George Hinnenkamp, brigade chairman:

Dear Ladies:

As usual your cookies were delicious and beautifully packed. We were very disappointed that you could not attend the USO show, for then you would have gotten some idea how two hundred boys can consume your good cookies. In fact, they consumed so many we will be rationed the rest of the month.

By the way, may we have the recipe for those chocolate nut cookies. They were delicious and the boys loved them.

Thank you again for the cookies, and we'll invite you to the next USO show we have,

so you may see the boys in action.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Josephine Beck,
U. S. Army Postess,
Fort Cronkhite, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Makaroff had as their dinner guests on Sunday Makaroff's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. William Makaroff of Guerneville.

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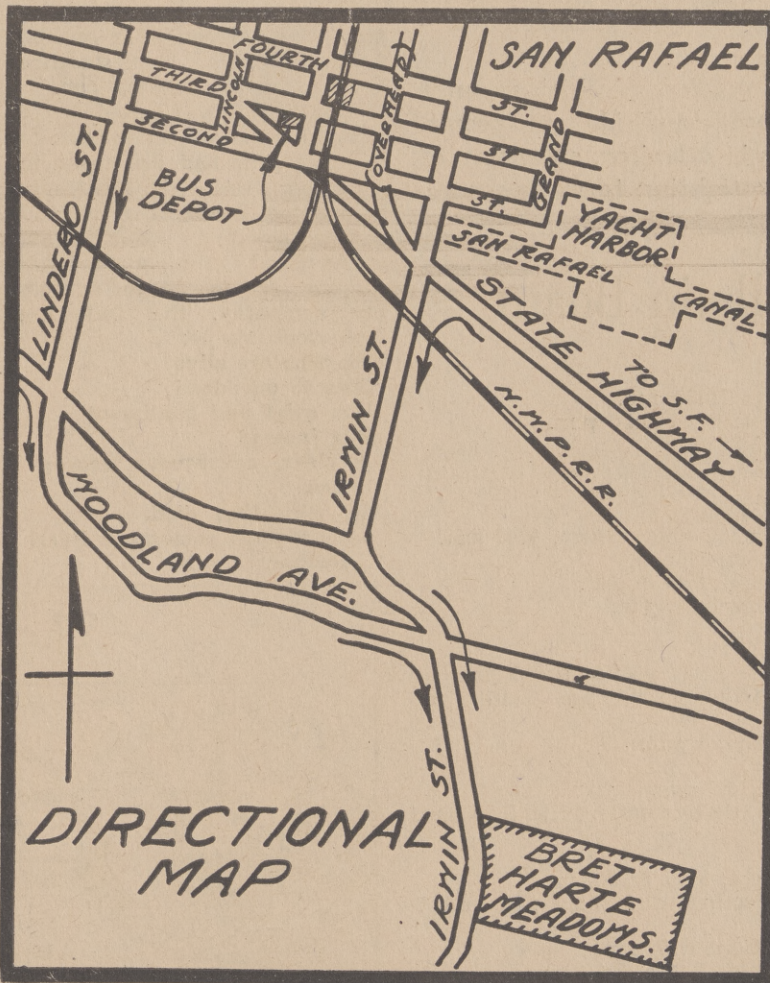
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"The Marin Citizen" is delivered each week to the homes of more than 6000 war workers and their families. It is the only newspaper published in the second largest city of Marin County.

Subscription Rate: \$2.00 a year. Advertising rates on application.

Racial Prejudice Helps Axis

In these days when national unity and teamwork are so vital to our successful prosecution of the war effort, it is encouraging to find one national leader after another taking a strong stand against the enemy's effort to divide us with religious and racial prejudices.

The latest leader in American life to come to the fore against the Nazi secret weapon of hate and bigotry is no less a personage than Governor Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts.

In appointing a special committee of citizens to handle the problem of race and religious tensions, he said:

"Anti-Semitism is a menace to American democracy. The attack upon the Jews is the prelude of the attack upon Catholicism, Protestantism, and the whole democratic way of life. Since this is true, every anti-Semitic manifestation must be seriously treated and combatted by the responsible leaders of every community.

"It is particularly important to regard anti-Semitism as the danger signal of the anti-democratic and anti-American forces at work in our country during this great war, when the enemies abroad are constantly seeking to foment division and hatred between classes and creeds in the hope that after they have lost the war militarily, they yet may win the peace."

These are strong words and well spoken. And in this stand, Governor Saltonstall should have the unanimous support of all good Americans.

Religious or race prejudice, regardless of which group it is aimed at, has but one purpose—to divide our people. And he who snipes at our unity is a traitor, an enemy of America and the freedom we are fighting to make secure.

Marin City Bulletin Board

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4—

Catechism—Council Room, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Children's Movies—Auditorium, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Children's Recreation—3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6—

Catholic Mass—Council Room, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School—Council Room and Lounge Room, 9:45 a.m.
Community Church—Council Room, 11 a.m.
Horseshoe Tournament—Fire House, 1 to 3 p.m.
Symphony Session—Lounge Room, 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6—

Furniture Making and Handcraft—Bldg. 400, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Business and Social Meeting of CD with Teeners—Lounge, at 7:30 p.m.
Badminton for Adults—Auditorium, 7 p.m.
Civilian Defense—Control Center, 7:30 p.m.
Square Dancing—Council Room, 7:30 p.m.
Community Building open for Junior Recreation, 1:30-5:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7—

Crafts for Children—Council Room, 3 to 5:30 p.m.
Community Building open for recreation to 5:30 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.
Boy Scouts Troop 34—Control Center, 7 p.m.
Mass Meeting of Teeners—Council Room, 7:30 p.m.
Teeners' Square Dancing—Control Center, 4 to 5:30 p.m.
Home Nursing Class—A41, 363, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
District No. 1 Boy Scouts—Lounge, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8—

Furniture Making and Handcraft—House 400, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Garden Class—Garden Center, 1 to 3 p.m.
WellBaby Clinic—Council Room, 8:30 a.m.
Community Building open for recreation—1 to 5:30 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9—

Regular recreation program in CD Building, 1 to 5:30 p.m.
Sea Scouts—Control Center, 7:30 p.m.
Mixed Chorus—Council Room, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10—

Blood Bank—Community Building, 8:30 a.m.
Boy Scout Troop 32—Cabin on playfield, 7 p.m.
Recreation in Civilian Defense Building, 1 to 5:30 p.m.
Community Building open for recreation, 7 to 10 p.m.
Teeners' Dance—Auditorium, 9 p.m.

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Voice of the People

(Marin City residents are earnestly asked to write to "The Marin Citizen" on anything under the sun. If letters are kept to about 200 words they will be easier to print. All letters must be signed, although names will be left off letters when they are printed if requested.)

Dear Editor:

"In wartime America today, there are a great many individuals and families who have given their loved ones on the field of combat. This sacrifice is by no means an easy one.

"Recently I was called on to write a letter of condolence to a family who had lost a son in a bomber crash. This lad was a boyhood friend of mine and a fine person.

"As I sat with pen in hand groping for words to express my sympathy, the following lines took shape:

"We who are alive
Owe to our dead
Not grief and sentiment,
But instead
A clear, courageous conception
Of why they died.
Let's always remember Pearl Harbor

By knowing what caused Pearl Harbor.

Pacifism and Isolationism
Mark the lonely grave of many a brave soldier.
By our way of living and thinking,
We must prove to their memory and to ourselves
That they have not died in vain."

R. C. WAYCOTT.

Dear Editor:

I wonder if the many people living in Marin City who have come from Fargo know this little jingle:

"I've been out East,
I've been out West,
I've been as far as Fargo,
But the darndest place I've ever been
Is a place they call
Chicargo!"

—PETE JONES

The Wolf



THE... SOAP... BOX...



By DOROTHY SMITH

It takes something like mag-gots in the meat she planned to serve for dinner to make the average housewife wake up and start fighting for her right to have decent food at a decent price for feeding her family.

Nine times out of ten, women just vaguely think prices are high or that store conditions look messy—and then let it go at that. It's that attitude which is as open an invitation to dishonesty for a merchant as an unprotected tray of jewels would be to a burglar.

It's that attitude which has let some meat markets charge women two different prices and two different point values on hamburger sold at the same time. It's that attitude which is letting some butchers sell hamburger which is at least one-half gristle and the other half composed of meat scraps.

One woman recently went far enough to return meat which was so rotten her family couldn't eat it. She got her meat point back but she didn't get points back but she didn't stores go right on selling that same kind of rotten food to someone else—because no one ever quite got around to reporting these tactics to the proper authorities.

We've all seen meat lying exposed at a few markets. The butcher will look you in the eye and declare all his products are under refrigeration—when there is a mound of fly-infested meat on the chopping block, and perhaps boxes of it in the back room—protected from your sight, but not from the germs which will find their way onto your dinner table.

We all knew that such open display methods were wrong, but we let it go.

We've let these stores and markets get away with concealing their ceiling price lists in unaccessible places, because we'd never get around to checking everything we buy anyway.

In the main, maybe we've gotten just about what we deserve. Or have we?

BOOKS IN REVIEW

THE CASE OF THE BURIED CLOCK. By Earl Stanley Gardner.

"The Case of the Buried Clock" is another Earl Stanley Gardner special, with Perry Mason and his loyal assistants, Della Street and Paul Drake.

Perry Mason is his usual conceited, wise-cracking, suave, cynical self. His dexterity for getting into tight situations and out of them, makes this book excellent reading for those who like exciting mysteries.

Those who travel along the highways and byways with this detective who is the favorite of millions will experience the following thrills: A shattering car wreck in which no one is killed; the discovery of a gold mine in which there is no gold; a glamorous widow; a client on trial for murder who will not talk to Mason; an alarm clock ticking away under ground.

Earl Stanley Gardner mysteries move swiftly, and the reader breathlessly follows, secure in the knowledge that Perry Mason is investigating the case and, therefore, when the last chapter is reached, the mystery will be solved.

